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Mikhail Kejzelman et.al.	)	Group Art Unit: 1742
Application No.: 10/689,656	)	Examiner: Daniel J. Jenkins
Filed: October 22, 2003	)	Confirmation No.: 6495
For: METHOD OF PREPARING IRON- BASED COMPONENTS	)	
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**APPLICANTS' STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW**

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Sir:

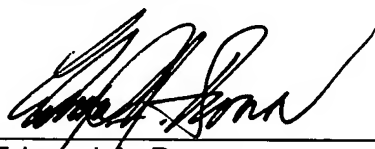
During the telephonic interview conducted on May 9, 2006, the status of the above-identified application was discussed. A response to the Office Action dated January 10, 2006 was previously filed in the U.S. Patent & Trademark Office on April 10, 2006. The Examiner confirmed that the Office Action was "non-final," and stated that PALM would be corrected to reflect the non-final status. The Examiner also indicated that Claim 51 should have been included in the group of rejected claims in the rejection set forth at numbered paragraph 4 of the Office Action.

Should the Examiner have any questions regarding this paper, or the application in general, Applicants' undersigned representative can be reached at the telephone number given below.

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## SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION DATA SHEET

### Application Information

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